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Greetings Members of the Army Football Club!

Once again it is our distinguished pleasure to bring you the 2010 edition of the AFC Newsletter – **THE PLAYBOOK** – for your reading enjoyment. Bob Kinney, Dick Hall and Coach Hecker are proud to have the opportunity to compile and share your messages with teammates and others who have worn the Black and Gold at Michie Stadium. This is our 16th year, believe it or not, that THE PLAYBOOK has been coming your way. We thank each and every one of you for your contributions and look forward to staying in touch. This is the best response we have ever had. Thanks guys! God Bless each and every one of you.
GO ARMY!!!!!!

A Note from the AFC President

"The 2010 football season is fast approaching and it is a critical year for our Army Football program. Like many of you I feel the program is heading in the right direction under Coach Ellerson's leadership. If we can stay healthy and continue to make progress with the new offensive and defensive schemes we have a legitimate shot at having a winning season and earning a bowl invitation. It is time for Army Football to be winners again!

The AFC is working closely with Coach Ellerson to ensure he is getting the right support for the program. We recently contributed funding for the development of new videos and further upgrades to the A-Room to assist with the recruiting process. We are also looking ahead and seeing where else we can make a difference to help the program gain a competitive edge.

Heading into the fall we are hosting the annual AFC Golf event July 16-17th and hope to see a great turnout again this year. The A-Room is reserved for AFC member & family use and will be better stocked with food and beverages this year during home games. In addition we will continue to support AFC sponsored tailgates, often in conjunction with the West Point Association of Graduates (WPAOG), at all away games.

I encourage each of you to stay involved and to help recruit an old teammate to join the AFC. The AFC continues to grow in stature and has tremendous strength when we speak with one voice to the West Point Administration, ODIA and WPAOG leadership.

Hope to see you in September for football!

Beat Eastern Michigan,
Rick



Army Football Schedule 2010

Date	Opponent	Location	Time (ET)	Results	Media
Sat, Sep 04	at Eastern Michigan	at Ypsilanti, Mich. (Rynearson Stadium)	7 p.m.		
Sat, Sep 11	HAWAII	West Point, N.Y. (Michie Stadium)	12 p.m.		CBS College Sports Network
Sat, Sep 18	NORTH TEXAS	West Point, N.Y. (Michie Stadium)	12 p.m.		CBS College Sports Network
Sat, Sep 25	at Duke	at Durham, N.C. (Wallace Wade Stadium)	TBA		
Sat, Oct 02	TEMPLE	West Point, N.Y. (Michie Stadium)	12 p.m.		CBS College Sports Network
Sat, Oct 09	at Tulane	at New Orleans, La. (Louisiana Superdome)	3:30 p.m. ET		
Sat, Oct 16	at Rutgers	at East Rutherford, N.J. (New Meadowlands Stadium)	TBA		
Sat, Oct 30	VMI	West Point, N.Y. (Michie Stadium)	12 p.m.		CBS College Sports Network
Sat, Nov 06	AIR FORCE	West Point, N.Y. (Michie Stadium)	12 p.m.		CBS College Sports Network
Sat, Nov 13	at Kent State	at Kent, Ohio (Dix Stadium)	2 p.m.		
Sat, Nov 20	vs. Notre Dame	at Bronx, N.Y. (Yankee Stadium)	7 p.m.		NBC
Sat, Dec 11	vs. Navy	at Philadelphia, Pa. (Lincoln Financial Field)	2:30 p.m.		CBS



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Special Messages

Army Football Colleagues,

It's been a delight to be in touch with many of you through the year and I appreciate the efforts of Bob Kinney and Jack Hecker to make the Playbook such a great source of information.

Virjean and I spent most of winter at our home near Sarasota, Florida, and we made the decision to make Florida our home. We're back in Maine to put this home on the market because our future is elsewhere. This summer we will be in Glacier National Park (Montana) where I will be involved in ministry in the park, and in the fall we will be in Charlotte, NC where I will be mentoring students in a seminary. Similar to my role at USMA, I want to coach, helping people give attention to what God is doing in their life.

I'm still measuring the passing of time by tenths of seconds. I made the finals in both the 100 and 200 at the National Senior Olympics at Stanford last summer. Each year my times are a couple of tenths slower than the previous year and, at 73, I am thankful that I can still run. George Sheehan captured the feeling when he wrote: "My times become slower and slower, but the experience of the race is unchanged; each race a drama, each race a challenge, each race stretching me in one way or another, and each race telling me more about myself and others." As time passes quickly for each of us, here's some familiar advice:

"Take time and trouble to keep yourselves spiritually fit. Physical fitness has some value but godliness is valuable in all things, having benefit in this life and also in the life to come." (from the New Testament)

Gratefully,
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"Run to Win!"

Dick Hall

Dick Hall here from West Point, still going strong and in my 40th year at this great place of ours. As always, hats off to you for sending in the updates on your lives so that the Playbook can live on and on. And as always, a big thanks to our founder, Jack Hecker. Did you know that Jack has accused me of coloring my hair, since I have most of my hair and it's brown with a little gray. But we all know who use to color his hair, no names mentioned. Bob Sutton said the same thing about me, but Bob says he colors his hair white and has for a long time now. A little humor, very little. Today I bring you the list of past Army coaches that are still actively coaching. If you have updates of changes and coaches we missed, please email me at Richard.hall@usma.edu. See you all at the Golf Tournament in July 2011. Have a great Summer.

Love,
Dick Hall

Coach John Bonamego (Miami Dolphins Special Teams Coach)

Gio is playing Catcher on his Baseball team. He has taken a real interest in the Military. His favorite channel is the Military channel and his favorite show is Ultimate Warrior. He is 8, weighs over 100 lbs, wears a men's size 7 shoe, and doing very well in school. Javier is in 7th grade and has a 4.0 GPA in all advanced courses. He is taking Algebra this year so I can no longer help him with Math homework. He is in baseball as well and doing very well playing SS, 3rd, and pitching. By the way, he turned 13 in Feb and also wears a size 7 shoe! Bellina is 5 and in



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kindergarten. She goes to dance class 2x a week and gymnastics 2x a week. She is my heart. Paulette is Super Mom and is at everything!

“Doc” Arciero (Team orthopaedic doctor in the 90’s)

Aall the same here coach. Family is great: Cristina, age 28, is a 2nd year medical student at Georgetown and getting married this summer. Mike, my hockey player, played 4 years at Clarkson and then landed a real job at Goldman-Sachs in NYC; Laura age 21 is a junior at Muhlenberg College, doing well; Jon age 13, 8th grade is into everything; Matt, age 8 may be a basketball and baseball fan.

I continue to be one of the Orthopaedics surgeons for our UCONN teams and have really loved the rise of the football team and, of course, caring for our Women's Basketball team. It has been a phenomenal year. Miss all my Army buddies and coaches' meetings.

Doc

Army Players and Coaches, where are they now?

Here is a list of former Army football coaches compiled by Dick Hall who are still actively coaching and where they are currently employed...

NFL Coaches

Brian	Baker	St. Louis Rams	Defensive Line
John	Bonomego	Miami Dolphins	Special Teams
Perry	Fewell	New York Giants	Defensive Coordinator
Chip	Garber	Washington Redskins	
Criag	Johnson	Tennessee Titans	Quarterback's
Ben	Kotwica	New York Jets	Asst Special Teams/Asst Line Backs
Tim	Mingey	Jacksonville Jaguars	Asst. Director of Player Personnel
Andy	Moeller	Baltimore Ravens	Asst. Offensive Line
Tony	Oden	New Orleans Saints	Defensive Backs
Bob	Rogucki	Baltimore Ravens	Strength Coach
Clarence	Shelmon	San Diego Chargers	Offensive Coordinator
Bill	Sheriden	Miami Dolphins	Line Backs
Mike	Sullivan	New York Giants	Quarterback's
Bob	Sutton	New York Jets	Senior Defensive Coach / Line Backs



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College Coaches

Mike	Beagle	Highland Community College, Kansas	Head Coach
Todd	Berry	Louisiana Monroe	Head Coach
Dick	Bumpas	Texas Christian University	Densive Line
Mike	Dietzel	University of Buffalo	Line Backs
Denny	Mdoorneos	Citadel	
Lester	Erb	Iowa	
Harold	Etheridge	Washington State	Offensive Line
Frank	Gantz Jr.	UCLA	Special Teams
Ted	Gill	Michigan State	Densive Line
Al	Groh	Georgia Tech	Defensive Coordinator
Greg	Gregory	South Alabama	Offensive Coordinator
Mike	Haywood	Miami of Ohio	Head Coach
Darrell	Hazell	Ohio State	Wide Receivers/ Assoc Head Coach
Derrick	Jackson	Syracuse	Co Defensive Coordinator
Tim	Kish	Arizona	Defensive Coordinator
Lawrence	Livingston	Morgan State	Offensive Coordinator
Mike	Locksley	New Mexico	Head Coach
John	Loose	Lafayette	Defensive Coordinator
Pete	Mahoney	Kent State	Assoc Athletic Director
Doug	Mallory	New Mexico	Defensive Backs
Todd	Middleton	Southern University	
Travis	Niecamp	Washington State	Line Backs
Andre	Powell	Clemson	Running Backs
John	Regan	Rice	Offensive Line
George	Ricumstrict	Indiana	
Kent	Riddle	Colorado	
Al	Seamonson	Maryland	
Jody	Sears	Washington State	Co Defensive Coordinator
John	Simar	Lawrenceville School	Athletic Director
Junion	Smith	East Carolina	Running Backs
Charley	Taaffe	Central Florida	Offensive Coordinator
John	Thomas	Penn State	Strength Coach
Saga	Tuitele	Cal Poly	Co Offensive Coordinator
Rick	Urlich	University of Penn	Wide Receivers
Tim	Walsh	Cal Poly	Head Coach
Ed	Warriner	Notre Dame	Offensive Line
Adam	Waugh	Louisiana Monroe	



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The 50's

Karl Kuckhahn '50 - Trudy and I are eagerly awaiting a victorious Army football team winning on the fields of friendly strife. It seems quite a while ago we enjoyed Army's winning games in our era 46-'49. There were very few losses. It is nice having 10 or so classmates in the area including Jack Mackmull, Army's football place kicker! Hope Army has a winning season in 2010! We enjoy our sixth floor apartment on the ocean. Nice greenery for about 100 yards before the sand and ocean begins. As I look out I am reminded how huge the Atlantic is. Karl Jr. is still in the Chaplain Corps of the Army as a colonel. His wife is active with the Protestant women of the chapel. Our daughters are both teachers in Wisconsin and Washington State. It is nice to be able to use the telephone as I can read their words on the closed caption phone since my hearing was lost because of field artillery days.

God's blessings. GO ARMY! BEAT NAVY!

Karl O. Kuckhahn

Class of 1950

Hawk Kiefer '52 - I was just a C-squad lineman under Paul Dietzel. One of the A-squad smashed my knee, and that was the end of me. Too bad, because my father played the other end to Earl Blaik for the class of twenty. Coach Blaik was the first one to shake my hand at plebe practice during beast barracks, and one of his graduate all-Americans didn't really mean to hurt me that badly. He was just introducing me to West Point football. Dad and Blaik received special instructions on how to run pass patterns from Douglas MacArthur at practice one day. Dad says that extra instruction came after dad caught a pass in the open against Notre Dame, but then tripped, in dad's words, over the forty yard line. Dad redeemed himself by winning both the cadet heavyweight boxing and wrestling championships, on the same day. I redeemed myself by making forty-six parachute jumps with the 82d and 101st airborne divisions. I commanded in Alaska, the 82nd, Vietnam, and Germany. I finished as chief of staff at Fort Jackson.

If you want to see more, look at www.hawkkiefer.com.

Beat Navy, Hawk Kiefer

Jack Kraus '54 - A former lineman for the early '50s teams, I am happy to report that I am still on the right side of the grass enjoying retirement in the beautiful Puget Sound area in Shelton, WA. Have only had to have one joint replaced so far, and am grateful for good health. Following the development of this year's team has been most encouraging. I am looking forward to cheering on a victory over Navy this year at our joint service game party. Keep up the good work.

Jack Krause '54

Myron Rose – '54 - We were the class of 1954. Freshmen could not play varsity, so all of us had just finished playing on the West Point freshmen team, and the one scheduled meeting with the varsity. It was an awesome team that we faced. That coupled with the first real meeting with Coach Earl Blaik struck just a little fear in each of our hearts. I think we all felt we had turned in a respectable performance that day, but assessing ourselves against that varsity left little hope of even making the B squad. Graduation came, and soon after the "cheating scandal", Coach Blake began his re-building program, and from the misfortunes of others many of the '54 class found themselves wearing varsity jerseys.

The operative words describing us are young and inexperienced. It was either against Harvard or Yale when we ran what I believe ranks as the worst play in the history of West Point football. It was an away game, so right from the gitgo we learned what "hostile territory" meant. That



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contributed greatly to the ease of nerves some felt including our very young quarterback. We huddled. He turned to the right and called an off tackle right. He turned to the left and called an off tackle left. Our small but gifted halfback looked like Boston cream pie as he was removed from the field of Friendly Strife. We lost that game as I recall. Plus the next, and the next, and etc.

You who will be playing this fall, remember the later words of our West Point assistant coach: "Winning isn't everything, it's the only thing". Wishing you the best, and please, you who are wearing the varsity jersey for the first time, stay cool, calm and collected. I'm 79 now, and don't recall well the times I turned in a 100 percent effort. But I do still feel a bit of shame – as Coach Blake said we would - for the vivid memories of those missed plays that in fact let my team mates down.

Myron Rose
Left tackle

Art Johnson '57 - Coach, Hope this finds you healthy and happy. I thank God every day for my health which is allowing me to play golf and racquetball. Last week I went to Tucson, Arizona and played in the National Masters Racquetball Tournament. I won The75-80 Championship. Tom Hicklin and I, here in Denver, are looking Forward to seeing you at the golf tournament in July. Warm regards,
Art Johnson '57.

Bin Barta '58 - I'm still hoping for a winning season! Go Army! I'm also still consulting with Giving Children Hope, www.GCHope.org We are helping a lot in Haiti. If your church wants to send relief goods, get in touch. Sadly we recently saw Bill Melnik at his wife Mary's memorial service along with Don DeJardin. It's good to stay in touch with Dave Bourland and Bill Graf. It is good to get Jack Morrison's updates. Learned today that grandchild number 15 is on the way. I'm hoping that one will some day join the long gray line and play ball.

Bin Barta
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Bill Graf '58 - I hope you can keep the Playbook going. We old-timers really enjoy hearing from you. I enjoyed seeing some of my teammates at last year's golf outing and I plan to attend again this year. Best Wishes.
Bill Graf 58



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The 60"s

Jim Crabbe '60 - First, let me say that I look forward to the football events that will be taking place this coming Fall! Certainly, I wish you the very best.

I am a bit uncertain about providing any detail to my post graduation information because I never did become a major player in the game of football. But, for review, the following is relevant about football and athletics in general.

I came to West Point after having spent two years at the University of Iowa in Iowa City. I actually was at Iowa on a football scholarship. My freshman year at Iowa was of interest because my roommate was a well-known football tackle by the name of Alex Karras. Alex won the Outland Award as the Outstanding Interior Lineman of the year, was on a Rose Bowl team that won in 1958, I believe, and later became a very good player for the Detroit Lions. I played on the freshman team at Iowa, but we played no games... just practice and performing as the hamburger squad in scrimmages with the upper class players... who were very good. I chose not to continue in football after my freshman year. I actually played behind Jim Gibbons, another Detroit Lion stand out player after playing at Iowa.

After two years at Iowa I came to West Point and played on the freshman team behind Don Usry, a very good Texan and a very strong man. In the next to last Plebe game of the year, I was clipped at the knee by a player from the opposing team (I don't know who it was) after the whistle had blown. It was a damaging blow. The next play I came to the line of scrimmage and as I took my stance, my knee gave way and I fell across the line of scrimmage. I was taken out of the game and very shortly afterward, Colonel Parvin (the orthopaedic surgeon) completed the removal of my medial meniscus. He said to me "Cadet Crabbe, you should not play any more football...any more injury to that knee will likely cause you to miss any chance of graduating." So, I did not play football anymore.

I did graduate with the class in 1960, as was expected, but I was not a factor in football. I did go out for basketball after my knee healed and did play on the travelling squad my yearling year. I was not a good enough player to make the basketball team in my Cow and Firstie year because there were some good kids who came in to West Point behind me. It was fun while it lasted.

I won't go any further other than to say that for six years of my professional life I was the athletic director and chairman of physical education at two very good NCAA Division III private schools: Coe College in Cedar Rapids, Iowa, and St. Andrews Presbyterian College in Laurinburg, NC. I must say that the work of an AD is time consuming, extremely rewarding, and fun most all of the time.

Reference my life in athletics, I have seen athletics in the extremes. While in graduate school at the University of Iowa (after my six and one-half military years) I spent some time with the Iowa Basketball program while Ralph Miller was coaching. He was an excellent coach and very successful at Iowa, then Oregon State. I do believe that West Point and you, Coach Hecker, have a big job in getting to the point that you can compete with the likes of the major Division I schools in the country.

Certainly, I wish you God Speed in your efforts. I look forward to your progress.

Alan Scott '63 - My name is Alan Scott, USMA '63. Football #55. Currently retired orthopedic surgeon in Scottsdale, AZ. Married and have six children and six step-children. Wife is Shirley - we were married October 17, 2008. GOD's blessings to you.



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Lou Csoka '65 – “APEX is doing well providing the kind of mental training we did at West Point with the football players and others to corporate executives, our war fighters and our wounded warriors. The need is finally catching on. Army football was way ahead of the curve on this one.” (COL Csoka served as football Academic Advisor, OR and Director of the Performance Enhancement Center during his years at WP from 1986 through 1993).

Louis

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Thomas J. Kelly '65 - Talk about old timers, I just turned 70 the other day but remember my trying to make the team from 62-65. Stichweh, Parcels (Bill's younger brother), Zadel and some other stalwarts were my classmates. Cahill was the freshman coach at that time and Dietzel was brought in during that time frame as well. We finally beat Navy with Roger Staubach after losing several years in a row. I was nothing but cannon fodder for the "A" team but I tried hard and enjoyed it. Good luck and I hope the team continues to improve.

Sincerely, Tom

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James David Ray '66 - Judy and I are in Eufaula, Alabama, the bass fishing capital of the world, where we are both still working. Judy works for Nucor Corp and I am a Financial Advisor with Edward Jones. We have three grown children (Kevin, Scott and Jennifer) and two grandchildren (Calista and Noah). Kevin is in NYC where he is Musical Director at Ellens' Stardust Diner on Times Square. Scott is a teacher in Fairfax County, Virginia and Jenny works in Winchester, Virginia. Have a great year. Beat Navy!

James David Ray 1966

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Don Wantuck '68 - My name is Don Wantuck, Class of 1968. I haven't contributed to the Playbook in the past because I actually have never seen it, didn't know the format, and wasn't aware that its purpose was to update that which has been going on with our lives. So, I guess I need to cover a little ground of the past 46 years.

First of all, I am not an Academy football letter winner. In fact, I had never played one play of any Varsity game in my four years of "practicing" football at Army. I did, however, participate in every minute of every practice for all 4 years. My job was to run over the 1st string defense in practice, thereby toughening them up for the upcoming games. I loved every minute of it!

I spent 30 years in the Army, commanding four units, and serving in most parts of the world, from the Far East (Vietnam) to Europe (Germany, Italy), the Middle East (Egypt), and the U.S. (Southwest, Midwest, Northeast, Far West, and Southeast).



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I've been married to my sweetheart and soul mate, Suzi, for most of my life. She's had a heck of a battle with breast cancer for the past three years, and we hope that we've finally won the battle. We have a son, two daughters, and four grandchildren. One daughter, Amy, is a Master Cosmetologist. The other daughter, Bethanie, is a Neonatal Intensive Care Unit (NICU) Nurse. Our son, Adam, is an Air Force pilot, with 5 combat tours in Iraq and Afghanistan under his belt. He is currently stationed in Germany, but is constantly flying to places like Turkey, Cyprus, Africa, Spain, Georgia (not the state), Bulgaria, etc. In his 9 years of service he has managed to earn just about every medal the U.S. Air Force has, and his dress uniform makes mine look like mostly eaten fruit salad, while his shoulder down to his belly looks like the entire smorgasbord. You can probably tell that we are extremely proud of him, as we are of all our offspring! After military retirement, I began another career, working for the state of Georgia for the past 16 years, for an Agency called "Georgia Quick Start". It is a part of the Technical College System of Georgia (formerly the Department of Technical and Adult Education). For companies moving to Georgia or expanding in Georgia, thereby creating new jobs for Georgians, we will go to their facilities in the U.S. or around the world, analyze and study their processes, develop and write training materials (manuals, job aids, pocket guides, etc.), and train their new hires, free of charge. I am currently working with the Kia Georgia Training Center in West Point, Georgia (nice City name?), where we have been doing the above for Kia Motors Manufacturing Georgia, Inc. (KMMG) for the past two years. They have had an extremely successful Start-up, and are making the very high quality Kia Sorento CUV, which is selling as fast as we can make them. In fact, the Plant is now hiring a second wave of employees in order to start a second shift in making another vehicle a little later this year. We will train those employees as well.

It probably won't be too many more years before I "retire" retire. I haven't made the highest rank in either my military or civilian careers. However, I've mostly been in positions where I've been able to "run my own show" and make a difference. So, I can say that I've been successful

in life. I do owe a good deal of that success, in addition to my parents, to the training, discipline, and experiences I have had at the Military Academy and with the Army Football Team!

Regards!

Don Wantuck

USMA Class of 1968

Army Football Club Member

Bob Ivany '69 - The Ivany family is doing well, scattered all over the world. Marianne and I are still at the University of St. Thomas, Major Chris is at Ft. Carson, Fr Mark is in Bethesda, Maryland, Julianne is in Basra advising Army units and 1Lt Brian is in Iraq as well with the 4th ID. Hope you are well and thank you for doing this project for us, it means a lot!



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The 70's

Joe Albano '71 - Madelyn Mramor, my fiancé and companion of 9 years, passed away on December 31, 2009 after a four-year struggle with ovarian cancer. I am having a Mass for Madelyn at the Chapel of the Sacred Heart in Grand Teton National Park in Jackson Hole, Wyoming on Friday, July 23rd, at 3:00 pm. The Mass will be followed by a reception at the Jackson Hole Golf and Tennis Club at 5:15 pm. If any members are in the Jackson Hole /Yellowstone Area this summer, they are welcome to attend the Mass and Reception.

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Tim Pfister '73 - I'm still living in Centerville, Ohio on the south side of Dayton. My wife Beckie and I will celebrate our 10th anniversary next February on Oahu in Hawaii. We were married there on a catamaran off of Diamond Head at sunset. It will be hard to replicate that one.

I continue to work in Public Relations for the county Board of Developmental Disabilities Services. Twelve years have gone by quickly. Amazing what technology allows us to do. I have both an internal and external web site, do desktop publishing, and I'm creating a video site to share videos about the organization with the public. Now if I could just get the equipment to make coffee each morning.

We now have three grandsons! Beckie's daughter Jennifer shares Riley with us and he is 1. He has a new brother, Aiden, who was born January 10th. My daughter Phaedra, living in Georgia, has 5 year old Adam and we vacation each summer with her family. Beckie's younger son Jamie has recently returned from Baghdad. He is a Senior Airman and a mechanic. He is stationed in Anchorage, Alaska. We hope to visit him again this summer.

Always look forward to the annual golf outing and I'm hoping that the Class of '73 continues to have the most attendees. We lost Gary Topping last year and our time is slipping away. I cannot say enough great things about the men I shared the gridiron with and I can only hope they get motivated to join us at the event. No matter what the cost, it is worth it. Imagine what it feels like to be 20 again. Just incredible to see everyone again.

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Bob Souza '73 - I'm still coaching football at St. Sebastian's School in Needham, Mass, just completed my 32nd year there. I am being inducted into the Massachusetts High School Football Coaches Hall of Fame on April 25th. It's hard to believe that it has been that long. I originally got the job largely on the recommendation of John McCauley who was then the Athletic Director at the Portsmouth Abbey School. I hope this validates the faith that he had in my abilities when he wrote the recommendation. When I first started coaching we would go down and scrimmage John's teams. I remember my quarterback called a time out and came to the sideline and said "Coach, I think they are running our defense". I had to tell him that actually we were running their defense. We still run the basic 4-4 that we ran at Army. We have put in a few modifications, but the philosophy hasn't changed. I was the Athletic Director at St. Sebastian's for 10 years, but changed to the Athletic Coordinator. The job is similar, but I don't have to be in



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Attendance at all of the games, which decreases the time commitment. I have 5 grandchildren so my extra free time has been taken up with them. My brother Jack retired from Invenysis Corporation last summer and has been working on his golf game. He will be back to the AFC tournament this year, so watch out. He has nine grandchildren so they have kept him occupied when he is not on the course. I went to the Army-Tulane game last fall and although the team lost a tough one it looks like they seem to be headed in the right direction. Hope to see everyone at the tournament this summer.

Bob Souza, 1973

David Winklbauer '73 - I'm still living and working in the IT business in Atlanta, GA. I started teaching part-time in the University System of Georgia at the college where Dan Kauffman (former Dean) is the president. Enjoying it and thinking about making it my 3rd career. I missed the golf outing last year because of business but I look forward to seeing everyone in July and helping '73 be the class with the most in attendance again.

Wink

Dave Winklbauer '73 | 404.915.6267

Joe Miller '74 - Margie and I moved back to Jacksonville, FL on March 29. I started work in mid-January 2010 as the Senior Director for Engineering and Construction for the Jacksonville Port Authority. Fortunately, Margie sold our West Chester, PA house in 10 days and did so between two major snow storms.

I'm enjoying my new job and Jacksonville has become home. Our oldest son, Luke, is engaged to a young lady from CT and the wedding is planned for this coming October in Massachusetts. Our second son, Matthew, (CPT, EN) graduated from his Engineers Officers Career Course at FLW, MO last week. He's finishing up his Masters Degree and is scheduled to take a Company Command at NGA this summer. Hopefully, we'll see more of our two grandsons (Grant and Kevin) this coming year as they'll be back on the east coast. Our youngest son, Patrick, (LTJG, USN, Aviator) finishes up his transition flight training on the Seahawk helicopter this week and will be stationed at Mayport NS, Jacksonville, FL. He'll be enjoying home-cooked meals once Margie and I find a new house and are settled. That's all the news. Pls come see us once we're settled.

Matt Reese '74 - "First of all, I'd like to mention how much I enjoyed the Annual Golf Classic last July. It was my first time to attend that event and, even though I didn't golf, I really enjoyed seeing former teammates from '74 & '73. It was a first-class event and I'd encourage everyone to consider attending this year (even if they don't golf).

My wife, Chris, and I were fortunate last season to get back to West Point for two games. One was the home opener against Duke and the other was for our 35th Reunion Weekend against Vanderbilt. For the Duke game, we brought our son-in-law (and daughter) for his first visit to West Point. He loved it and wants to go back again this season.

This season we plan on going to the Eastern Michigan and Kent State games since they are within driving distance of the Cleveland area. We would also like to get to West Point for an October game. But that is somewhat up in the air since our son is getting married in the Los Angeles area on Oct. 2nd. So it looks to be a busy fall.

I'm looking forward to the golf outing in July and what I hope will be a much improved Army team in the fall. We wish Coach Ellerson and the team all the best."



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Gary Bartels '75 - We are still living in Katy, Texas and enjoying the area. Regina is teaching 1st Grade at Morton Ranch Elementary School in the Katy ISD. She was recently given two wonderful bits of news: she has been given the position of 1st Grade Team Leader for her school after only one year of work, and she has been accepted into the prestigious Teacher's College Reading and Writing Project at Columbia University in New York City. She is doing quite well, and we are all extremely proud of her!

Sammy, our oldest son, turns 4 in June and is currently attending pre-school here in Katy. He's getting bigger every day and should be a wonderful addition to the Army Football Team in about 14 years.

Joe, our youngest son, turns 2 in August and is also attending pre-school in Katy. He's a beast that is only about 5 pounds behind his brother weight wise. He's a bull of a boy that'll serve as either a gap filling linebacker or a truck of a fullback for the Black Knights in about 16 years.

As for me, I recently changed career fields and now work for Transocean in the oil and gas sector. The company employs several USMA grads, to include Adam Hess and Ron Krepps, also former Army Footballers. It's a wonderful company to work for, and the opportunities seem endless. I'm currently a member of their Accelerated Operations Management Program, a program that will ultimately lead in an opportunity for me to serve as a Performance Rig Manager for one of Transocean's many off-shore drilling rigs. It's a wonderful opportunity, and I'm enjoying the program.

Again, hope you all are well. Be safe, God Bless, and GO ARMY, BEAT NAVY!

Joe Boylan '75 - Coach – I was a football player from the class of '75 – played center for the team – have been one of those silent supporters for years

My email is really a question – if we were to find a great prospect in our area, is it acceptable to send along the information to you? Not trying to meddle –when I was on the faculty there in the mid 80s and teaching in the GCS department some of my classmates and former players said that there was a need for alumni to be looking for great young men who can play and be a great cadet – not sure if that is still desired or what the current policy is – I have not taken the time to do any of that in the past and it would take a pretty rare young man to make me write –but I do have one at our school –he is a great leader –a young man of great character – great grades –and a competitor –a tough football player – and in Texas I think we raise some good ones – would it be acceptable to pass along his name to you?—he is a junior going into his senior year –recently he has asked me a lot about Army and Army football –

Well, I will be cheering the team for another great season – there is no better way to train up our future leaders than in the Army football program – Thank you for your time.

Joe Boylan '75

Salvatore Colatarci '75 - As I travel the globe, this is the first that I heard of your request. I presently live in Mexico and teach English and Italian to get by. I still play a lot of sports and next year I head for Buenos Aires. All those tackles with my neck has led to constant neck pain from vertebra damage...I asked the VA to help me out with medical treatment but was refused...so real sour on the USA and so I travel the world living my life to the extreme. Hope that life has treated you well and wish you the best. Not sure what you will do with this info, but then my life is an open book.



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David DiGiacinto '75 - Little surprised that no one is writing, but the waters are still rough out there on many fronts. Just had a phone call with Dickie Hall this week. Always a joy, and still full of energy...even at the ripe old age of _____. I'll let you tell everyone.

Have been managing a privately held Pretzel and Snack company headquartered in Lancaster, Pa. The company has three manufacturing plants and a logistics Center. All are in Pa., except for one in Central California. Lots of Private label, contract Manufacturing, and a small brand presence. Has been challenging so far, particularly after a move from a public Life Science Company. Have also entered into the political arena locally. Took office as a city councilman in Bethlehem, Pa., this past January. Have been lucky to be in a position to pull off both...so far. Look forward to the Golf tournament again this year. Typically have a tough time staying up for both nights. Hoping for the best with Army Football this fall. I keep my season tickets alive, and get up as much as possible. I believe this is also my 35th year reunion.
" And Dickie is still older than me"

Robin VanDeusen '75 - My wife Bernadette and I are still living in California (we will celebrate our 35th wedding anniversary in June) and I am still coaching football (over 22 years) at the high school I graduated from and teaching Chemistry and Physics. I stopped as the Head Baseball coach a few years ago so I could concentrate only on football. They say I am the only Head Varsity Football coach in California that teaches both Chemistry and Physics. My sons are doing fine. My oldest , Robin Jr., a graduate of USMA '03 is a FA CPT stationed in Hawaii. He will be taking over a command on 13 May and will deploy to IRAQ for the third time in June. He got married last September and they are expecting their first child, my granddaughter in mid July. We are excited about that event. My other son , Joey, is a COW at West Point and we are looking forward to his graduation in 2011. I got to spend a week with him at the beginning of April while I attended the Admissions Representative conference. I have been a Field Force Admissions Representative for West Point since the early 1990's. That is about it. I hope everything is going well with you and you are in good health.

Go ARMY beat Navy
Rob VanDeusen
USMA 1975

Robert McClure '76 - Just an update for the Playbook. Obviously, I'm doing this job – and it's great. It's truly the best position in the world. However, wanted to let you know that Ken Liepold is not doing well at all. He lives in Bradley, ME – wherever that is – and is dying of cancer. I last talked to his wife about a week ago and he was down to 167 pounds, from 385 at his largest. It's some sort of throat cancer. Unfortunately, Ken did dip and he's lost part of his tongue as well. I'll let you know if anything changes.

Am right now in Naples, FL with Jodie Glore '69, our new AOG Chairman.
Go Army!
Bob

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Serving West Point and the Long Gray Line

Herman Bulls '78 - Life continues with the Bulls family. Herman, Jr (05) is finishing up his Infantry Officer Advanced course with the Marines at Quantico. He is enjoying the experience and will be assigned to Alaska this summer enroute to Afghanistan. Jonathan (11) had a great experience punting for the team last year and is excited about next season. We will again enjoy going to each game next year. I continue to work in commercial real estate and also serve as



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Vice Chair of the West Point AOG board. Iris and I just completed building a new home in Virginia. That was an experience to take on at such an advanced age. The end product is terrific and we agree it was worth the long journey. Look forward to participating in the golf tournament this summer.

All the best.
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Jack Morrison '78 - Still here in the mountains near Robbinsville, N.C. as the Administrative Director for The Master's Mission, a 1500 acre training base which provides a unique setting for thorough and 'hands-on' preparation for missions service. Through an eleven-month program in Bible & Missions and an extensive Technical curriculum, candidates from all walks of life experience what it takes to establish and accomplish an effective missions ministry. And I am continuing to especially target the military. A missionary is a leader in his community and there is no organization on earth more focused on creating and developing leaders than the U.S. Military. Missionary families demonstrate integrity in their actions. They exemplify strength in their convictions. They model a loving relationship with their families. And they share the Gospel as a by-product of their work in the community. They seek opportunities to help those around them. They use their talents and abilities to make a difference where they serve.

This fits the military folks to a 'T' and is the reason that I am in contact with over 300 active military service members throughout the world. These folks want to return to their "AO's" as missionaries, once their tour is up. Though we may win the peace in bringing democracy to the nations of the world, we will be fighting and feeding the rogue nations of the world until missionaries return to change their hearts with the Word of God. Then lasting peace will come from within.

Come and visit-we're west of Asheville, NC and south of Knoxville, TN! And one of my daughters is still single and is gorgeous..... ☺

Beat the tar out of Navy!! There are only two speeds gentlemen-on and off.

Yours in Christ,
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COL Eugene Palka'78 - I'm still serving as the Head of the Department of Geography & Environmental Engineering and as the Head Officer Rep for the football team. We've had another excellent recruiting year and a very productive spring season, culminated with the spring game. I am confident that the upcoming season will be one for all of us to enjoy. Take care, Coach. Go Army!

-Gene
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The 80"s

Chuck Anderson '80 - My name is MG Chuck Anderson..I'm from the class of 1980 and played football my first year at the academy. Wanted you to know I love Army football and I'm proud of the players and the coaching staff for getting the team turned around. I know we are now on the right path and going in the right direction. I look forward to a good year for Army football.

T.D. Decker '81

Having a lot of fun coaching my boys and the offense at Wheaton Academy! Tommy's a senior QB (6'1" 194) and Drew's a junior QB/WR/DB (5'9" 130). Tommy is looking at colleges that have great academics and throw the ball. Regrettably, he's not interested in West Point or any of the other service academies. However, he is interested in Wheaton College, Chaplain Dick Camp's alma mater. For the past 16 years in Chicago I've been the president of three manufacturing, two distribution companies and \$3B hedge fund while also coaching a portfolio of service companies. Any help in networking as I seek my next leadership situation is appreciated! Beat Navy!

Blessings,

T.D. Decker

Donnie Horner '81 - Donell and I moved to Jacksonville, FL last June ('09). Spent 4-1/2 years as a professor at the Naval Academy -- yeah, 1 West Pointer can make a huge difference there - - after having been at Penn State from 2000-2005. Now at Jacksonville University running their leadership center. Fun job.

Speak often with Tim Mingey -- who's been at the Jaguars for about 15 years. Tim is doing well and is the chief collegiate scout for the Jags. Also speak a lot with John Lane, who's back in Ohio as a bank VP, and Jason Sutton. Both have helped my son-in-law transition from the Navy to the private sector. Again -- West Pointers helping Navy guys, nothing new.

Had a nice email exchange with Coach Homer Smith a few months ago. He continues to battle health issues, but is as cerebral and positive as ever. My teammate and classmate, Bill York (now living in Houston, TX and running his own Exec Search Firm), put me back in contact with Coach Smith. I remain really grateful for this.

Again, best to all . . . thanks for your work on this project Jack

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Doug Morrison '82 - Please extend my kind regards to Dickie Hall. I was the Head Manager in 1981 and a manger from 1979 until then. Great times but not great football.

I retired from the Army as a Colonel in 2006 after over 24 years of service. I think that was the last time I checked in. I became a consultant for defense and homeland security issues with Booz Allen Hamilton from 2006 until December 2008. At that time I decided to pursue other opportunities with BAE Systems Inc for ground platform integration of C4I capabilities and homeland security. I am still with BAE Systems.



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In my travel I have seen a number of Army football players, include a great American, LTC Greg Gadson who attended the last two Officers of the First Division reunions/dinners in Alexandria VA.

I have managed to get to the last two Army Navy games, disappointed with the outcome like all of us, but pleased with the fight shown last year.

Go Army BEAT Navy 2010!

Best regards to all there.

Doug Morrison, Class '82

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Rick Waddell '82 - I am class of '82, and played in the 1978-1981 seasons, the last three years on the varsity. My Plebe year, the JV went 8-1, only losing to the Freshmen team at Yale, whose members went on to have superb years subsequently. Indeed, in the JV game against Princeton, my classmate, Dave Aucoin, set what was then the Academy record for the longest field goal, 48 yards. In our last three years Dave was a fixture on the varsity field, setting a new record of 52 yards against Lehigh our Cow year. The highlights of our years, at least to me, was our upset of Stanford at Stanford our Yearling year, which was John Elway's Freshman year, and our "upset" of Navy with a score of 3-3, as they were on their way to play Ohio State our Firstie year. Dave's last-second field goal try - which would have been a new record - fell a couple of feet short.

As for me personally, I just returned from my fifth Reserve mobilization for Iraq. All of them have been shorter than the standard tour-length of 12-15 months, but have placed me in Iraq for a few weeks or more in every year since 2004. I have deployed each time from Brazil, where I have been expatriated for 11 of the last 12 years, working in the energy and mining businesses. While in Baghdad this time, we watched the Army-Navy game in a mixed, multi-service crowd, at the Dining Facility in the US Embassy. I was glad to see that Army won the first half, and look forward to two successful halves in this year's game.

Rick Dauch '83 - Together with Joe Homa, we were able to steer our company, Acument Global Technologies, through some tough times in 2009. At times it felt like we were at BEAST, Ranger School and 2-a-day practices all rolled up into one - everyday. Bottom line is we fixed the company and are emerging stronger! My son Andy played CB for the Pioneer League Football Champs - the Butler Bulldogs who went 11-1. My step-son DC Adamic hurt his shoulder and could no longer play FB at West Point - now he is just a Star-man and kicking ass as a Cadet. Rest of the family doing well - Connie and I will be grandparents this summer - yikes! See you at the Golf Event, in the A-Room at Football games, Notre Dame and Navy games!

Dan Kessler '83 - Coach, this is the first time I saw the email ref submitting updates.

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Thanks for doing this.

Dan

Herb Aten – '84 - Just checking in from AZ.... Wanted to let you know that Coach Ellerson spoke at our West Point Society of Southern Arizona Founder's Day event last Saturday, 3/20/10. Coach Young came as well and we had a great time. It was good to catch up with JY and listen to a real up-beat assessment regarding prospects for the 2010 Army Football from Coach Ellerson....

Hope things are well with you... Hoping to get out to WP for the July Golf Outing... See you then!

Herb Aten

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Bill Kime '84 ½ - Hope all is well with everyone. Life is pretty good for this old lineman. For the last 3 years I have been with Cummins Crosspoint (a JV of Cummins Engines) in Indianapolis. I run the facility here and am also responsible for our sales to the Military and Gov't. Oldest son Andrew is a junior at Murray St and is joining ROTC. Youngest son "Momo" committed to Army football this year so that was the highpoint of our news in the last 12 months. I am VERY glad all of the recruiting stuff is over. Special thanks to Coach Joe Ross ('95 I believe) for the way he handled Momo's recruiting. Very professional and a class act -- speaks very well for the coaching staff we now have.

Terri and I are very excited to be heading back for games and such. It will be pretty wild sitting in the Army stands watching my kid play. With my luck my seats will be in Section U17. (The

guys from my era will understand the irony, but at least now I can walk up). If anyone is ever in the Indy area please drop me a note as I would love to hook up (bill.kime@cummins.com).

I look forward to seeing everyone at games and tailgates this fall.

Rich Laughlin '84 - Rich Laughlin, Class of 84, is still living in Matthews, NC. Matthews is a suburb of Charlotte. Rich is still teaching JROTC at Butler High School. He is finishing up his 6th year.

I had a great time at my 25th reunion this past fall. Not only did I get a chance to see some old teammates, but had an opportunity to watch the Black Knights beat Vanderbilt in overtime. I have a good feeling this Army team is on the right road. The defense played hungry all day and the offense scored when needed. Watch out AF and Navy, Army is going to start dominating again.

Rich's four kids are keeping him quite busy. Rich is coaching Little League for the 5th straight year and his second oldest son, Richie, is on his team. Rich coached an all star team last summer and his team was featured in the November issue of Baseball The Magazine. They did a feature article on the 10U Weddington Bluehounds.

Rich's oldest son, Nathan, has a love of science and anything military. Who knows, Nathan may follow in his Dad's footsteps to USMA. Cecelia is currently playing soccer on an undefeated YMCA team. Michael, the youngest, is the power hitter on his Machine Pitch team at Weddington. Rich's wife Martha has her own jewelry business. You can check her out on the web under Miss Martha's Jewelry.



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The Laughlins are planning on attending the Duke game this year and want to get back to an Army vs. Navy game in the near future. If anyone is in the Charlotte area, please give Rich a call. His number is in the book for Matthews.

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Daniel Priatko '84 - Daniel A. Priatko 1984 – Retired residence-N Huntingdon, PA.

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This past year, I participated in three events that have a connection to West Point. My annual fall trip to West Point to watch Army Football this year involved witnessing the Black Knights triumph over Vanderbilt. In January, Dad and I flew down to Durham, NC to watch the National Champion in men's basketball Duke Blue Devils triumph over Florida State on the hardwood. A wonderful man, West Point Distinguished Graduate Coach Mike Krzyzewski, Invites Dad and I down every year to watch his Duke basketball team. And, the final opportunity to associate with members of the Long Gray Line came with my attending the West Point Society of W. Pa. Founder's Day.

Robert Rhodes '84 -- Hi Coach, I played for 3 full years and 1/2 of my senior year. As a Freshman, I was a "Meat squad" fullback on the JV running plays against the 1st team defense for Coach Eppley. My second year I played on the JV defensive line where I intercepted 2 passes during the year, the first of which I ran back for a touchdown. My 3rd year I was on the Kickoff and Kickoff return for the Varsity where I earned my only Letter. Teams kicked off a lot to us that year. I only played 1/2 my senior because Coach Young came in and started building for the future. Since coaches didn't take too kindly to players not in spring ball, I didn't get much playing time my senior year. I made the decision to leave the time and pursue other interest until track season started.

I currently serve as Pastor of the Abraham Baptist Church, located in the Oak Cliff area of Dallas. I also work as a Resource Management Specialist for the FDIC's Division of Resolutions & Receiverships. We are the Division supervises the transition of Bank ownership (ie we handle the closings.) I have a wife, Shelia, whom I have been married to for 25. We celebrated our 25th on 3/29/10. I have two wonderful kids: my daughter Kray who will graduate from North Texas State in December and my son Robby who just graduated from high school.

Thank you for your effort in doing a Players book. Even if the idea doesn't last, it doesn't mean it wasn't a good thing to do.

May God Bless you richly through his son Jesus Christ,

Pastor Bob Rhodes

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Rob Ulses '85 - I am serving in Afghanistan as the Chief of Staff, US Forces

Afghanistan. I have been here 9 months and have been asked to extend another twelve months. It is a very busy job, but also very rewarding. I will be heading home on R&R leave to attend my oldest son Ryan's graduation from Penn State. I will also commission him into the Army as a 2LT. He has been in the ROTC program there. My son Kyle is a plebe at West Point and playing DB on the team. Hopefully he will make it to the varsity squad this year. My daughter Kaitlyn is a Junior in High School and doing well in school and sports. My wife Kathy is always busy keeping up with the kids. All in all, we are doing well. Hoping to make it home for my 25 year reunion at West Point to see old friends and watch the team play. Hope all is well with you.



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Doug Pavek '86 - To Team Members associated with 1985 Peach Bowl Champions

Believe it or not, 25 years has passed since Army beat the University of Illinois in the Peach Bowl, 31-30. For those of you that were not able to attend last year's Cherry Bowl Reunion, it was a great event at West Point celebrating Army's first-ever bowl game and great victory over the Spartans, 10-6. Turnout was excellent and included among many others Head Coach Jim Young, Coach Jack Hecker, Dick Hall, Mr Carl Ullrich, BG (R) Bob Berry and many players from that 1984 team. Similarly, we have scheduled a weekend reunion at West Point again this fall and will be inviting all players, coaches, staff, and administration associated with the Peach Bowl Team. The weekend will occur over 5-7 November 2010, which will include a strong victory over AFA. Kurt Gutierrez is heading up the Class of 1986 reunion staff in preparation. Please contact him if you have not already been notified of the details.

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Rob Roggeman '86 - We left the Army War College in Carlisle, PA and are currently posted in J3-Current Operations at CENTCOM HQs in sunny Tampa, FL. Mick Haydak, Doug Pavek, and Erik Gunhus are down here as well. Beer and cigars await. Come on down! Lisa and the girls are doing fine. We are preparing our "bowling kit" and expect the Army Team to get us back into the fray this season! Good to see improvement this past year, but we need to "tomoruro kokuru" some a\$\$ this year. Let's get fired up!! Go Army!

HOOAH!
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Craig Rollins '86 - Greetings from South Carolina. All is well with Craig "Tree" Rollins. I have a 14 year old son that loves to run - hard to believe he is my child? He enjoys running the mile in track, while my 12 year old daughter enjoys gymnastics. Between sports and their social calendars, Elizabeth and I stay very busy. In my spare time, I am responsible for a Division in our company that converts recycled paperboard. We are looking forward to seeing everyone at the Air Force game this year. Coach, I enjoy reading about all the Army players each year and hope you always continue this Playbook tradition.



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Dan Stredler '86 - Dan Stredler and wife Amy (class of '88) are still living in Chicago. Dan has been leading the Global Marketing Department at Abbott Diagnostics for the last 12 months and

is going on 19 years at Abbott. Oldest daughter Lauren is graduating High School in May and will be heading to Purdue to study Biological Engineering! She is a solid French Horn player and Dan is hoping she will be on the field at halftime as part of the mighty Boilermaker Marching Band (will definitely make a trip or two through the Purdue Athletic Hall of Fame to look for some of the football accomplishments of the Jim Young era)! Grant Stredler played his first year of Freshman football at the fullback position and averaged 4.5 YPC, the team had a very solid 7-2 season (good thing Grant is a lot faster than his dad). Dan hung up the youth football coaching career after 7 years and 3 super bowl appearances (no championships - will tell the sob stories at the Peach Bowl reunion next November) but had a blast and enjoyed making a difference in the lives of all those young players. Will maybe try coaching again as Grandpa Stredler! Best wishes to everyone!

Roy Tomlinson '86 - I'm still in Singapore - coaching and teaching. I'll be the Department Head of Math at the Singapore American School next year, and still coaching football in the Singapore American Football League. In 2008, I married a lovely Japanese lady, Etsuko, who is keeping me on my toes. Life is great in Asia, it's hard to believe I've been living over here for 8 years. Come visit - I'm serving as President of the West Point Society of Singapore and we are nearly 20 strong now - and most are game for a good time when visitors come. If you are coming for business, and have some time, drop me a note, would love to meet up.
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"J.T." Thomson '86 - Returned from Iraq to DC in July 2009, then moved Holly and the boys to Fort Hood, TX a week later. Subsequently took command of the 41st Fires Brigade at Fort Hood, TX, where we are busy training and preparing for whatever our Nation needs us to do next. Have MAJ Steve Carpenter (former Army running back, USMA '96) as my Brigade S3 and 1LT Jordan Murray (former Army DB, USMA '08) as a Battery XO. Life is good! Best to you and Linda!
COL J.T. Thomson
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Rail Gunner Strong! First Team!
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James Brock '87 - I am still a partner at Deloitte but a little over a year ago they asked me to take over our technology business with the DOD so I now spend a lot of my travel time in DC. It has given me a chance to catch up with a lot of folks. From a personal standpoint, I am still living in Atlanta with my wife Diane and kids Lauren (12) and Jason (10). The kids keep us plenty busy with sports. My nephew, Drake Fleming, was accepted to the class of 2014 so he will go through R-day in a couple of months. I believe he is going to get a chance to play football which will be great. Drake's team finished 13-2 last year losing in the TN 5A state championship. Drake is really excited about West Point and Army football.

I try to get in time for golf with Ron Rice in Atlanta, but we have been more limited with all the kids stuff. Ron Rice married Pamela, his longtime girlfriend, about a year back. They live on the other side of Atlanta from me, but we catch up on the phone and with some golf here and there. Ron hooks up with Joe Manasa on some work trips to Florida, but we all three still hook up 2-3 times a year to golf. Joe is still down in Tallahassee with his real estate business.



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I trade emails with Rob Dickerson all along. Rob got back early this year from a tour in Afghanistan commanding Task Force Eagle Lift flying out of Bagram air base. Rob was flying around Scotty Spellmon's troops over there. I attached a picture of them over in theater. Rob also sent me an interesting picture from over there that I attached too. That picture has David Robinson and Vince McBeth with Rob. Vince was the captain of the Navy team our senior year. Compare the pictures of Rob and Vince in 1986 vs 2009. Vince McBeth and I have been trying to get together in DC about some potential work opportunities.

About a year back we had a great lunch in DC. We had JT, Kurt Gutierrez & his brother, Bill Sanders, Mark Phillips, Pat Work, and Greg Gadson all down around Pentagon Row. It was great to catch up with the group. I attached a picture from that lunch also. Sorry the size of the email is probably getting pretty big with the pictures. The lunch was great. Kurt and I have been trying to figure out if there is any work our two businesses can do together.

I know Neil Ravitz sent you an email the other day. Neil is part of Deloitte's DOD practice so I have gotten to know him over the last year. Neil joined the group when Deloitte bought Bearing Point's public sector practice. It has been great getting to know a guy from a different generation of Army football. We all share the same passion for the game and Army football. Neil and I talk almost every week to talk about the prior week's game and what we expect for the coming week.

I got an email back in Nov from Roy Tomlinson. You can see in the attached newsletter. Roy's football team won the Singapore American Football League title in convincing fashion. Roy has been the commissioner of the league for 3 years and just gave that up also. His team was the Steelers and I think they rushed for 452 yards in the championship or something close to that. My golf group of Ron and Joe caught up with Roy around last year's golf outing. It is always great catching up with Roy, but when Ron, Roy and Manusa are together there are always bad things that can happen.

We are all getting ready for the Peach Bowl reunion this fall and I am playing a small part in the group that is trying to plan the event. It should be a great time and hopefully we will have a good product on the field to watch.

I hope all is well with you. Sorry for the size of this email, but I figured you might want all the pictures. I may try to send it to you again without the pictures just in case your email has a size limit of some sort.

Take care.

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Tim McGuire '87

Coach, Hope you are doing well. I was pleased when the Playbook email hit. I hope I am not too late. My privilege of serving as Panther 6, Commander 3rd Brigade Combat Team, 82nd Airborne Division, came to an end in February. The BCT returned from 12 months in Baghdad, Iraq in late November. I am extremely proud of the job our Soldiers are doing in a complex environment. We are blessed as a Nation to have such great Soldiers and Families. The hard work and sacrifice of the last 7 years are bearing fruit that I hope will be long lasting. Our investment in training Iraqi Security Forces are paying off. While not perfect, they are eager to be in the lead and answering the challenge of their new responsibilities. Significant gains in security have been made in recent years and all of us are proud of the successful elections in



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March. Army football players from 4 decades are hard at work in Iraq.

I particularly enjoyed a visit from GEN Odierno to the Obaedy district in Baghdad in which he saw firsthand the great work being done by Adisa King and his company. As we walked the streets of what was once one of the most dangerous parts of Baghdad to the cheers of the locals, it was great to know the Army teams of the 70s, 80s, and 90s were represented. The lessons we learned on the fields of friendly strife are serving us well.

In March I started my new job as the Chief of the Army's House Liaison Division. My team and I work on Capitol Hill to help ensure strong ties between the Army Senior Leadership and Members of Congress. After 20 plus years in Infantry units, I have much to learn about the interworking of the U.S. Congress but look forward to being an effective advocate for our Army, Soldiers and Families.

Suzie and I will celebrate our 20th anniversary in December. She just completed her teaching certification and looks forward to working as a high school English teacher in the fall. Our son Tom, 17, was captain of his conference championship football team and will attend Notre Dame in the fall as a political science major. Our daughter Maria, 16, plays soccer and was MVP of her high school swim team. I don't know where she got her swimming skills - definitely not from her father based on my plebe swimming performance. Our daughter Erin, 13, is also a soccer player while our youngest Patrick, 12, is a 3 sport athlete - football, basketball and baseball. He hopes to play for Army and unlike his father has some wheels - he is quite an effective quarterback and DB.

Thanks for keeping the Playbook up and running. If you are in the D.C. area, please drop by. I have already started making some good bets with Members of Congress on the Army Navy game. After we win the Commander in Chief's Trophy this fall you will see some Army Flags flying outside Members' offices with large Navy/Marine Corps bases in their districts.

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Tim Mitchell '87 - the Mitchells will depart Tanzania this summer, but don't know our next destination. Likely the US Army Africa in Vicenza, Italy, but also possible I'll end up in the Pentagon (we are hoping for the former!). Oh, and the Mitchells now number four, with the birth of our son Timothy David Mitchell, III (Trey) last May. Life is good, and we have been blessed.
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Scott Rainey '87 - I continue to serve and am currently the Director, Human Resources at the US Army War College in beautiful Carlisle Barracks, PA. My position gives me an annual



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opportunity to get reacquainted with many "old grads" including a significant number of Army football players of years gone by. I expect to stay here a couple of more years, and then local

job market willing, trade in my boots for suits and remain in Mechanicsburg, PA where Elaine (Kempisty)'85 and I are restoring a circa 1844 home and rearing our brood of youngins'.

My two oldest daughters appear to be headed into the family business as both are on ROTC scholarships at their respective universities. Emily is finishing her sophomore year at U of Scranton where she also has played basketball for the Lady Royals, qualifying for the last two NCAA tournaments and advancing to the Elite Eight in one of those. Amanda is finishing her freshman year at Xavier U in Cincinnati and is enjoying ROTC and college life and burning up the intramural hardwood.

My twins, Hannah and Bethany, continue to amaze us with their musical, artistic and literary skills. They are HS freshmen, active in music (harp, guitar and the Capitol City Opera company in Harrisburg, PA) as well as pursuing completion of each of their first novels. Many of you may know they are formerly conjoined twins who were separated at 6 months old and have faced significant medical challenges throughout their young lives. They are truly inspiring in their spirit and accomplishments.

Jackson, our lone man child, is in pursuit of the coveted Eagle Scout award having just achieved Boy Scout rank and earned his Arrow of Light. He is an 11 year old budding swimmer who got natural breaststroke skills from his talented swimmer mother.

Jessica and Juliette, 9 and 8 respectively, are all-around athletes participating in basketball, volleyball and gymnastics. Juliette made her First Holy Communion this Easter, our last child to complete that significant rite of passage in faith. I suppose the next one of those we'll attend will be for grandchildren but hoping that is still a ways away.

In short, the Rainey clan is healthy, happy and blessed. All I need now is a winning Army Team! Go Army!

LTC Scott A. Rainey

David Berdan '88 - At present, I am stranded in Geneva as a result of the ash from Iceland's volcanic eruption. Looks like I will be over here at least a week longer than planned. At the end of the day, all of that technology is still subservient to Mother Nature. Other than my wife Angie needing to be relieved from the stress of manning our two teens alone, things could be worse. We all have our health and freedom (at least I think we still do – the present administration could have made some additional changes while I've been gone).

Last fall we travelled to Denton for the North Texas game and had the good fortune of meeting up with Darryl Scherb and the Goodlow Family. Darryl had a small tailgate, and we were able to spend some good quality time with Kenny and most of his family (his eldest son was not in attendance). Kenny, I really enjoyed dinner with you. Take care of yourself and the family. Hope to see you and everyone else at the Peach Bowl reunion.

Dave Berdan '88

Lyle Caddell – '88 - Lyle Caddell here. Getting ready to retire after 23 yrs. You might remember you had a hand in getting me into USMAPS in 1983.

Married to the former Cathy Dix and have three kids (two boys and a girl).

We will be heading back home to TX after I hang up the uniform.



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Michael Rounds '88 -Hope this isn't too late for the Playbook. It has been an interesting year for me! I just returned from a year deployment to Afghanistan where I was the OIC for the Bagram Area Office, Afghanistan Engineer District, Army Corps of Engineers. It was a great assignment managing over \$800 M of construction at Bagram and in the 4 surrounding

provinces – everything from huge Airfield taxiway and hangar and infrastructures on Bagram Airfield down to small roads, schools, and Afghan National Police buildings out in the local provinces. One of the great parts of the assignment was working with other former teammates and other former Army football players. I got to work closely with COL Scott Spellmon at Bagram. He was there as the Brigade Commander in charge of all base operations and PRTs in the surrounding provinces and did a great job. He finished his 15 month deployment last September and was back in time to attend the Cherry Bowl reunion this past fall. COL Rob Dickerson was also deployed to Bagram and was in command of the Eagle Lift Bn from the 101st AASLT Div. Rob's Bn had Apaches, Blackhawks , and Chinooks and he was a great help in getting aircraft to fly around to my job sites - one time he flew me himself. He had a great command and was promoted to COL just before he redeployed with his battalion in December. I also worked closely with MAJ Coby Short who was the CJTF 82nd Deputy CJ7 there at Bagram and MAJ Jeremy Chapman who was the Engineer District J3 at Kabul during my tour. I made contact with COL Rob Ulses before I left last month. I think he is the USFOR-A Chief of Staff in Kabul. Pretty cool to work with all those guys.

I am back at the WP Prep School now as the Deputy and should be locked into that job through the transition from Fort Monmouth to our new campus at West Point near Washington Gate in the summer of 2011. I took a couple weeks of leave when I got back that matched up with my boy's spring break and started back to work last Monday. My sons are in 11th, 9th, and 7th grade and doing well. They like it here on the Jersey Shore. Looking forward to seeing everyone at the golf tournament this summer – will you be able to make it this year? Say hi to Todd for me the next time you talk with him. Take care,
Mike

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Bill Schleiden '88 - No new news ... I just wanted to send you a quick note to tell you how great it was to see you & everyone at the Cherry Bowl tailgate ! The years have been good to you as you still look like you're ready for spring practice to start up again - Boyz :) I'm going to make it to at least one AFC event this year (at this point in time, I'm not sure which one). When yourself & Mrs. Hecker have a chance this summer, please come on over to our neck of the woods for a visit !!!

If & when you have an idea of a couple dates (that you might stop in), please give me a ring on my cell any time of day or night. We go 24/7 here at the Park [once winter breaks] - (814) 883-4580.

Bill Schleiden

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Ed Shultz '88 - The Shultz clan is doing well.
Still living in Glenmoore, PA



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4 daughters Rita (13), Renee (10), Cara (8) and Coco (6) are doing great. The older 3 are all playing club volleyball. All are getting better grades than I ever did. I am still coaching volleyball with Valley Forge Volleyball Club, and probably will be for 10 more years if the knees hold up.

Lately I've been cursing that Michie and Goodrich Field astroturf from the mid-80's, as my knees drive me nuts.

My wife Maria is employed with Immaculata University in Malvern, PA. She works with contracting professors. I have been with Rolled Metal Products as GM for the past year now and glad to see the economy slowly coming back.

I laugh every time Leeker sends me a photo of a moose or a caribou or an elk walking through his 4' foot snow drifts in June. I don't hear enough from Todd Heck. Last year at the AFC golf outing I spent time with Andy Peterson (aka "Chevy"), Dave Marks and Todd Miller. Dave's golf game is fantastic. The rest of us could use a lesson. Our class of '88 could use a bigger turnout. I'd also like to see more of the '84-'92 guys that were part of our era. I'd also propose having the golf foursomes mixed and matched perhaps one player from each decade just so we can get to know each other better.

I was getting a haircut the other day at a new place near my office in Bensalem, PA and on the wall was a photo of Charlie Jarvis. I asked about it and it turns out this barber has been cutting Charlie's hair since Charlie was a kid. Small world.

Do you remember the first AFC Golf Outing when Sears and Ulses slept in a van outside your house on coaches' row? We have truly evolved.

My health has been good, my family is happy and well, so things are OK here. I hope the same for you and yours. Say hello to Mrs. Heck for me.

Ed Shultz '88

Ernest Boyd '89 - Coach, quick update on the Boyds for the Playbook.

Hi All, the Boyds are still serving at Fort Bragg, North Carolina with the 82nd Airborne Division. I am currently performing duties as the G3 Rear while the Division is deployed. Our son, Earnest Jr., is ready to graduate from High School this year, while the daughters, Jessica and Jeanell, are completing 10th and 1st grade respectively; the youngest one, Ethan, is 18th months old and is into everything. He keeps us young. As I complete my 22nd year in service I will be calling it a career. My planned retirement date is 1 Jun 2011. It has been a fun and interesting career. I look forward to the next AFC Golf outing this year. Hope to see you there.

Earnie – Go Army Beat Navy

Mark Mooney '89 - I live in Rancho Cucamonga, California now, and I am a Territory Manager for Takeda Pharmaceuticals. I left the army after serving 8 years actively and 2 in the reserves.

I suppose the biggest news for me lately is that I'm launching my first country music CD later this year. I'm in the final stages of production, and hope to release it in August or September. Being unsigned, I'm hoping to get as much support as possible from the long line of Army football players. Is there any way you could send out an announcement for me with the link to my web page when I get it completed?

Mark Phillips '89 – Started working again as a civilian for the Chairman of the Joint Chiefs of Staff. Great job that allows me to work with all levels in DoD, The Department of State, our Combatant Commands around the world and our foreign partners and their governments. Definitely not as notable or as lucrative as our two NFL brothers, but still a good deal. My work email is Mark.Phillips2@js.pentagon.mil. If anyone is ever in town or needs anything (I am



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charging for Pentagon tours now; her, tough economies call for creative ways to make revenue), shoot me a note.

Mike Sullivan '89 - My wife and two daughters live in Totowa, New Jersey. It's about 25 minutes due West of our training facility and stadium. Julie stays at home, certainly raising a 6 year-old and a 2 year-old is more than a full-time job for her. I think once our youngest is in kindergarten she would like to go back to work. I'm blessed to have such wonderful and healthy children, and my wife is amazing. (I definitely 'out-kicked' my coverage on that one!) I will most certainly pass on your regards to Perry. He is a great friend and mentor of mine, and it was wonderful to work with him in Jacksonville during my first year in the NFL.



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The 90's

Peter Andrysiak '90 - The Andrysiak family is still at Fort Hood after 6 years and now a third deployment. This year I went into my third year of command of the 20th Engineer Battalion. I sadly lost 4 Soldiers and had 11 injured during the 5 November shooting at Fort Hood. With plenty of help we stayed the course and in mid January we deployed to Kandahar, Afghanistan. My battalion is responsible for conducting route clearance in Regional Command – South primarily for the Stryker Brigade. Every day my Troopers saddle up and go dead center of the most contentious areas in order to neutralize the roads of IEDs and I am proud of what they do every day. It's been a busy run up to deployment and have only run into COL J.T. Thomson at Fort Hood. I have been in email contact with Will Huff who is out here in Afghanistan, Josh Haines is doing contract work out here and I will track him down at some point. My wife Casey is doing well back at Fort Hood, my daughter Mackenzie will be seven this summer and my son Max will be three. I want to wish you all God's speed and look forward to a time when we can all be together again.

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Steve Stark – '90 Since the request has gone out I am responding. My 5 kids are keeping me busy with more Lacrosse, Soccer and Baseball than I can almost handle. That's just for the spring. Football, and fall soccer start in August so there is no rest for the weary. Good news for me is that I travel because my poor wife is running around like a crazed lunatic as the chief taxi driver for the family when she isn't working!

We live about 30 minutes outside of Boston where my wife is still a physical therapist and still refuses to help me with all of the pain and agony from my old injuries that seem to be getting more pronounced every year. I now work for PC Connection where I lead the solution and services team as we try to transition from being product focused to helping our customers with their business needs. Quite an undertaking.

I will be attending my classes' 20th reunion and I am very much looking forward to it – I haven't been to West Point since the Sun Bowl reunion so it will be good to see everyone again.

Hope that is what you are looking for and thanks for putting it together!

Steve Stark '90

Mike Thorson '90 - Sorry for the delay in repl. My wife Tammy, daughter Mari, and I are currently transitioning back to the US from London, where we lived the past 3 years and I worked at Bank of America. I left Bank of America shortly after the merger with Merrill Lynch in early 2009. We spent the past year enjoying London and a break from 16 years in finance, and watched Mari turn into a terrible 2 outlaw. It was a refreshing break and a chance to reconnect with a lot of former teammates, classmates and friends that had fallen out of touch while we were overseas the past 14 years. The life of laziness unfortunately must end, so we made the move back to the states and I am starting up my own firm here in the Midwest. We're starting in Madison, WI, where one of my investments is headquartered; ultimately we will likely wind up in Chicago or Minneapolis.

Probably more information than you wanted, feel free to cut and paste liberally!

Hoping to make the golf outing this year, but want to get settled in and started up first so we'll see...

Mike



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Jeff Simpson '91 -I safely redeployed from Iraq on 10 March with I Corps. I was the United States Forces -Iraq (USF-I) Equal Opportunity and Sexual Assault Prevention and Response Program Manager. Unfortunately, my shop was rather busy last year. My family and I recently celebrated my return by going to Maui for spring break. We had an AWESOME time. I highly recommend everyone puts it on their "Bucket List"...smile

I am scheduled to become the FORSCOM Equal Opportunity Officer this Summer/Fall, we will PCS to McPherson/Bragg. FORSCOM is scheduled to move in FY11. I am currently volunteering to help the saxophone players in my daughter's middle school band and I am coaching my son's baseball team. God is Good!!....smile
GO ARMY FOOTBALL!!
Jeff Simpson '91 (QB/SS/ACL & LCL)
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Ed Sudzina '91 -- I have been with Raymond James, an exceptional financial services firm, for the past 9 years, and I am currently a Senior Vice President and Complex Manager. Basically, I'm responsible for everything that happens or fails to happen for a group of 6 offices in Michigan. I am completely fulfilled with my professional life, and I look forward to the challenges and opportunities available to me at Raymond James in the years ahead.

I have two little girls, Sophia (age 6) and Margo (age 4). We are inundated with dance, swimming, gymnastics, and soccer (all contact sports). As much as I enjoy my professional work, there is nothing that compares to the joy that comes from every interaction I have with my little girls; they make everything better.

I actually play ice hockey a few times weekly. I took it up when I moved to Michigan in '96, and I have worked hard to be competitive in the sport. I'm no Gretzky; more like a Thomas Holmstrom. Everyone I play against thinks I should play football instead; go figure. Thanks again for the opportunity; have a great summer!

Regards,

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Marc "Dewey" Boberg '92 -I wish all of the Army Football family greetings. My family and I have spent the last year and a half back at West Point and have thoroughly enjoyed having the opportunity to work with cadets as well as the football program. All can rest assured that Coach Rich Ellerson is leading from the front and the program is in great hands. These past 20 months have allowed me to reconnect with lots of old friends as they have passed through these halls during reunions, teaching, or just visiting and occasionally I chase down Dick Hall who stays in contact very well with many of the former players. I have had the opportunity to teach in the Department of Foreign Languages and other than the 6'5" blond haired gringo looking a little out of place when I go to Latin America, it has been an awesome experience – I have found that I truly love teaching. The Army has seen fit that I get the chance to keep teaching, as my family



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and I will move to Provo, Utah this summer to assume duties as the Professor of Military Science at Brigham Young University (BYU) in July, so I will get to keep teaching for a few more years anyway. Anyone visiting the inter-mountain West needs to give me a holler – you are welcome in our home.

Thanks for everything.

Dewey

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Lee Schreiter '92 - It has been a long time! I played for you my plebe year as a wide receiver in the 1988 season that went to the Sun Bowl. I saw you across a crowd a few years later as I was stationed at Fort Hood and we took a large contingent from there to Shreveport to watch Army play in the Independence Bowl against Auburn. I think fondly of those times freshman year and the tough practices. That was a great team that year under Coach Young.

Anyway, I saw this message and haven't been a participant yet, but would love to be more involved. Thought you might enjoy hearing from one of J.Y.'s track team from back then. I have been to see a few games, mostly for my 10-year reunion in 2002, and a few Air Force games throughout the years as we lived in Colorado. Working towards being able to make the journey to Army-Navy each year.

I hope everything is well with you. Please take care and give that Army Team my best!

Sincerely,

"Schreites"

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Kevin Walker '92 - don't know if I've ever sent an update in to the Playbook, so I'll try to bring things up to date quickly. I left the Army in 2002 as the Force Modernization Officer for 41D, FT Hood, TX. I spent the next few years in Houston working for several companies in Sales and Sales Management roles before making the turn to what I'm currently doing in the Medical Device Industry. Smith & Nephew Orthopedics hired me in Aug 2005 to be a Sales Rep in their Trauma products division. I relocated to San Antonio in Nov 05 (my hometown) and started working to develop my territory, including my primary hospital, Brook Army Medical Center . It was great working in a military facility and serving the many wounded warriors returning from Iraq and Afghanistan and I also had the privilege to work with several outstanding orthopedic surgeons, many of whom were West Point Grads (COL Jim Ficke '83, LTC Tad Gerlinger '90, LTC Jay Crawford '87, MAJ Joe Hsu '94) and one of my former teammates LTC Steve Svoboda '89. I transitioned into my current role as the Technical Sales Director for all our External Fixation Systems this past January and have spent the past 4 months criss-crossing the country training our sales force and new surgeons on how to use these fixation devices to help traumatically injured and deformed patients re-gain their active lifestyles.

Angela, my wife of nearly 18 years, is still doing wonderful and we look forward to returning to our Rockbound Highland Home this June for a week while we visit her mother in Poughkeepsie . I have two beautiful kids, Adrianna 17 (HS Jr) and Kevin AnDre II 15 (HS Fr) who are also doing quite well as students and athletes in the local community. Hopefully my son will manage to get his serious hat on in his classes and live up to his full potential since he'd like to follow his Old Man and venture off to West Point in another 3 years.



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Take care and thanks for all you do to keep this information up to date.

Kevin A. Walker
USMA 92

Phil Fant '93 - still living in Albany, NY. Married with 3 kids. Joshua is 17 and doing well in lacrosse and football, Jocelyn is 13 and running track. Jonathon is also doing well in football and lacrosse. All are doing quite well academically, too. I am still with the FBI. Hope all is well with you. Take care, Coach.

Sam Gannelli '93 - Just wanted to give you an update on the Gannelli family. Last fall I was transferred down to our Ft. Lauderdale office. I spend most of my time in only the finest parts of Miami. My Spanish is becoming muy bien. I was able to take my wife to her first Army/Navy game last year. We had so much fun. We watched the 1992 Army/Navy game at Rob Klopp's house before going to the game. Too funny! We saw so many guys I haven't seen in years. Please pass along our new information to all the gang. Take care and please let me know if you're ever down in South Florida. Address: 70 Ice Lake Dr. I am still a Special Agent with the DEA - Drug Enforcement Administration. Greatest job in the world! They pay me to violate people's civil liberties! I deal with only the finest society has to offer and my Spanish is really getting better down here in Miami. Christine's family is over in Naples, FL, about two and a half hours from our house so she's home which is perfect. She really really loves me now Coach, it's amazing! Jupiter is a completely different world from where I work - it's paradise. We love it! Please make sure all the guys know, even the older guys, that if they're ever down here in South Florida to give me a call. So are you considered an Old Grad when you turn 40? I honestly didn't think some of us would make it to 30!

Please tell everyone we say hello. JJ Durant and I always go back and forth - "Boys, if they score again - we're finished!" Take care and thanks again for the Playbook. It is one of the greatest things outside the Army Football experience itself. You and Bob are great people for doing that every year. Hell, you are great men for a whole lot more than that. Of course you're the greatest for recruiting a strapping young monster out of Lebanon, Ohio!

Harold Jenkins '93 - I'm doing fine. I currently live in Wisconsin with my wife and total of 5 kids! I work for General Electric, Healthcare Division and I'm in charge of our National support for X-Ray products. Now that winter has passed I can say all is well. I'm sure you know that Gaylord Greene has been deployed to Iraq. We'll all pray for him.

Take care coach!

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Also I get back to West Point for all the home games so looking forward to running into and catching up with everyone.

Thanks for keeping everyone in touch Coach,
Chris

Mark Escobedo '94 -Hi Coach, after so many years you probably don't remember me. Mark Escobedo. Class of 1994. I just wanted to give a quick update.

After moving out of Michigan, I am now living in San Antonio, Texas working at a small margarita salt and spice company, Twang Partners, LTD. I can get you some samples! The family is great. I and Kahlie, my wife whom I met back during my Firstie year, have 2 children, Rory 11, and Ellie 2 ½. The girls are crazy. In the Fall we listen online to the Army Football games. We spend most Summers on Long Beach Island, New Jersey. My in-laws own a small hotel, "Hurley's" at the far South end of the island.

On another note, I am active in the West Point Society of South Texas, Treasurer. One our best events was the 2009 Fall Picnic. We watched the Army victory over North Texas out at Camp Bullis. We all are looking forward to a great 2010 season.

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Robert Krieg '94 - I am currently at Fort Leavenworth, KS completing CGSC and working on my master's degree. The family is doing great. Lauren continues to enjoy her practice at a pediatrics clinic. William and Matthew are doing great in school. They took a break from soccer this year to try Kung Fu. Our baby girl is almost 18 months now! She already has run of the house. I have enjoyed the geographical proximity to my brother and his family and the opportunity to get back to Nebraska where I grew up.

God Bless,

MAJ Rob "BLITZ" Krieg

Army Football Manager

Class of 1994

Aaron Sane '94 - Coach Ganz was my position coach. I got out of the Army in 2001. I'm living in Jacksonville, FL. I'm part owner in a company that performs environmental consulting and distribution management. No family yet, other than two dogs. Picked up rugby in flight school right after I graduated. I've been playing ever since. Played for the All Army and All Military sides when I was in and several semi-pro teams in the civilian world. Thank you guys for The Playbook. I hope to see it in the near future. And if you're ever passing through Jacksonville, don't hesitate to call.

Go Army!

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Jim Slomka '94 - wife: Kristen , married 15 years this year
Sons. Connor 13, Anton 6 (adopted in Russia in 2003), Tyler 4 (adopted in Pittsburgh in 2009)
We live in Pittsburgh, PA. I curenly Direct New Business Development for government accounts
at WESCO Distribution (electric, datacomm product suppliers).
Coach pee wee football where the bone is alive and well.
I've kept up with Denny Doornbos pretty well - he's coaching at a small school and happy to be
back in it again.
All the best and thanks for doing this for us. It really does matter.
Jim

James Chun '95 - Things are going well here in Southern Cal (Redondo Beach if anyone is out
this way). Doing well, just watching my daughter Logan grow up fast. She's turning one on May
6th.
Looking forward to my 15th Reunion this fall and catching a game back at West Point. Extremely
excited about the upcoming season and see how the team incorporates the new system.
Not sure if you put pics on the Playbook, but here's a pic of the family.
James Chun '95

James Duncan '95 –The Duncans are still in Raleigh, NC and eventually trying to move down
to Charleston, SC for a final stop. I founded The Sterling Group, an Executive Recruiting firm, in
2007, and it has been very rewarding having worked with a good many of former Army Football
players, both as clients and candidates. Cal Addison '93 joined the team in late 2008 and is
hitting his stride and doing a phenonemal job thus far without any prior recruiting experience
(would you expect anything different from a DB). We are continuing to plug away and fighting
thru **this economic downturn**.

The Duncan Family is growing. Harrison (7), USMA class of 2025 is totally committed to playing
football for the Brave Old Army Team. His brother Michael (5), who is a tank, sometimes says
that he is going to Navy so he can beat his brother. And Alexander (18 Mo) is a true blessing.
We started fostering him when he was 3 weeks old and we are about to finalize his adoption in
early April. Bringing Alexander into our home is definitely the most important thing Rebecca and
I have ever done.

This past year, a bunch of our teammates and friends got together for the great Army Win at
North Texas hosted by the Sizelove's and Langford's (Benecke '95, Just '95, Juarez '95, Chun
'95, Kwinn '84, Morgan '83, Love '82, McAda '97, Leshinski '97 to name a few). We all (about 40
guys) played golf on Friday to support the Friends4Michael Foundation, followed by two great
Dinners at the Sizelove's and Langford's. A couple of beers later, Trent Steelman scored the
game winning touchdown to cap off an epic weekend!!
As we prepare for the 2010 season, The Army Team is playing in our own backyard against the
Duke Blue Devils. I will be working with Herb Aten '84 and Dave Wolf '84 to host a great
tailgate and possible golf outing the day before the game. If any guys are interested in
attending, please connect with me as the game draws near. We will also be heading up to NYC
for the Army/Notre Dame game. My father-in-law is a ND '74 Grad, who will be accompanying
us to the game, so it should be a great time of bantering and ribbing the other team. Good luck
to everyone in 2010 and looking forward to a great season of Army Football.

James Duncan



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Travis Lindberg '95 - I only played plebe year (injured my shoulder pretty badly in spring ball as a running back), but if I can help add to the life of your project, it sounds like you are engaged in a worthy cause.

In any event, I am Class of '95 (same as Joe Ross, Pat Work, etc.). I am still in the Army as a Major & have been to Iraq once. My family (wife, Renee, & three kids) & I are currently living in Ft Leavenworth, Kansas where I am attending the School of Advanced Military Studies (SAMS). Thank you for undertaking this event on behalf of the "pride and dream".

Joe Ross '95 - I wanted to thank you, Dicky and Bob for all the great work putting the Playbook together for the last 16 years. I still remember when you were throwing around ideas for titles in the equipment room and I believe olddddd Rick Roper came up with the "Playbook." Of course my memory could be vague like the class of 1957 believing they have the most # of attendees each year! I am heading into my second year of coaching and everything is going very well for me and my family. I love the fact I get to see former players from across the years such as Pat Work, Rollie Stichweh, Jodie Glore, John Simar, Anthony Noto, and Taylor Justice to name a few. Although, I may have never played in the 60's, 70's, 80's, or 2000's, it always feels like I am talking to a teammate from the 1994 season when conversing with players from other decades.. Rick Roper is deployed to Afghanistan for the next year with 101st and LTG Bob Caslen gave a superb speech to the football team last week about how our experiences as Army Football players prepare us to be great officers!

I look forward to hearing from everyone and seeing a good turnout at the golf outing this year! Make sure the AFC golf committee sends a caddie with Duncan, Benecke, Stull, and Kwinn to count their strokes!

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Steven Spaulding '95 -We are living in Hanover NH working with the Fellowship of Christian Athletes (www.fca.org) ministering to athletes. Particularly football players. This newsletter has some good pics. Thanks for doing this.

Steven Spaulding
Class of '95



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Pat Work '95 - Doing fine on this end as I wrap up the academic year at Georgetown U.

- Family's well, but we're lining up my son for a pretty invasive back surgery soon, so it'll get sporty for us.

Graduate in July with a Master of Policy Management; it's been a great experience and broadening professionally.

- Battalion command list comes out in mid-April, so we'll know what is next soon enough.

Confident we're on the list, more so a matter of where at this point. Regardless, hoping to deploy again as soon as August as we wait.

- Spent three days with John Stull's (95) family in December; he just moved his family from FL to CT after taking a new position with the same company.

- See Tony Bianchi (97) a couple times a month and intend to do an Easter Egg hunt hosted by Rich Fredricks (97) in a couple of weeks.

Hope this finds you and your family well, and look forward to golfing in July.

MAJ Pat Work

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John Graves '96 - The Graves Family is continuing to do well and expand in Indiana. We added another Graves Boy this past July. Joshua Daniel Graves is the latest addition to our family. With 3 boys, I am doing my best to populate the Army Football team for years to come! We all had the opportunity to get back to West Point and watch Army play Vanderbilt this past Fall. It was my boys' first trip to West Point and was a great experience for all of us, culminated with a big overtime win for Army! I'm going to the Army-Navy game in Philadelphia this year--hoping for a big win for Army and a Bowl Game to follow. Hopefully, I'll see some former players at the game or at this year's AFC Golf Tournament. GO ARMY!

Andy Krug '96 - My wife Nicole and I and our three kids, Michelle (10), Lauren (5), and Avery (3) are still living in the Steel City of Pittsburgh and loving it here. I'm working for a company called SimplexGrinnell as a manager. We sell and service life safety and security systems like fire alarms, sprinkler systems, fire protection stuff, etc... It's good work and the business has been very resistant to the recession, thank goodness.

I got over to the Army vs. Air Force game two years ago and saw a lot of old friends from the team while I was there. It was the first time I made it back for a home game since I graduated in 1996 so it was fantastic to see all the improvements at Michie Stadium and West Point in general. I think often and fondly of my time at our former rockbound highland home. I even took two of my brothers over with me to the game. They are both Notre Dame grads and didn't think that anything could compare to a football Saturday in South Bend, Indiana watching their beloved Irish play, but as we drove away from a perfect fall weekend at West Point with the leaves in full color and beautiful weather they both admitted to me that it was the most impressive place they had ever seen a college football game. They loved the whole thing and were moved to tears on several occasions with the pageantry and patriotism displayed over the course of the weekend's activities.

I hope you and your family are well. If you are still in NE Ohio I'll have to get over to take you to lunch or dinner some day this year as I'm not all that far away and would love to check in on you.

Best to you and yours and as always GO ARMY!!!!

Hise Gibson '97 -. Over the past two years I had the honor of being a Math P and working with the football team. I am currently in Afghanistan as a Battalion S3 in 5-158th Aviation Regiment out of 12CAB(Germany). Ran into LTC Will Huff Class '91 and Army Football Player! It is great to



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be over here supporting one of the guys. He is a class act and kicking-tail as a Battalion Commander. His formation is doing yeomen's work to make the people in western Afghanistan more secure.

My family is still at West Point, and I will be back in the states next summer enroute to ILE.

GO ARMY BEAT NAVY!

V/R

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Colin Kearns '97 - My family is doing well out here in Colorado Springs, Kiera is 5 and Keely is 4. They are becoming pretty good skiers since we go quite often, 30 days for me this season. We enjoyed getting a visit from the Bianchi and Fredrick families for the Air Force game last November. We also enjoy seeing the Brizic and Eichelberger families when we can. I am still with Lockheed Martin (along with Jeff Brizic and Scott Eichelberger) and my wife is still enjoying staying home with the girls.

Ben Kotwica '97 - run in 2009 but still fell short of winning the trophy. We have made a few additions and we are looking forward to the start of camp. On the home front, we are still living just outside of Morristown, New Jersey, my wife Tina & our 3 children Analyssa, Christian & Brayden. The area has been good to us. While I have been absent from the AFC golf tournament the past few years due to scheduling conflicts, I hope to make it this year. Need a few takers to complete a foursome, so help me out.

Thanks again

Coach Ben Kotwica

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Ronnie McAda '97 - We are doing great. Looking forward to another season of improvement with the Army Football Team. We are living just East of Dallas and are still working hard. We started an alternative investment company about 18 months ago that has really taken off. My 9 year old is playing QB in a select football league. He loves it and his life revolves around football. My 6 year old also plays football, but he is going to be my linebacker. He is in MMA right now. My 2 year old daughter rules the house. She is scrappy and loves to wrestle with her boys. Laura and I are enjoying running wild getting everyone to practice and school. We don't get a chance to relax very often, but we love it. Hope all is well with you and your family. I will be at the golf tournament and hope to see a lot of people there.

God's Blessings

Ronnie McAda '97

Coby Short '97 - Writing from beautiful Bagram, Afghanistan with the 82nd Airborne Division HQ, where I've been on Division Staff for the past year. Will move down to a Battalion upon return to Fort Bragg. Mureen, daughter Kerith (3 yrs), and son Brennan (1 yr) are in



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Fayetteville and I'm anxious to get back and spend time with them. Have worked some with Jeremy Chapman '98 and Mike Coerper '98 over here and ran into Mark Houston '95 on his PDSS. He'll be over here this fall. Evidently Rick Roper '95 is running around over here as well. Looking forward to running into some guys this fall at the Duke game. Coby Short '97 cobysshort@hotmail.com

David Beard '98 - Sorry I missed the first e-mail; life has been busy.

We just had our second child, a little boy we named Thomas on 07 April 2010. So, now the Beard family is yours truly, my wife Amy, daughter Virginia (almost 2 years old), and son Thomas (1-1/2 weeks old).

I am working for General Electric and living in the suburbs of Houston in Cypress, TX.

I hope you get a bunch of responses and continue with the Playbook.

Cheers,

David Beard

Class 1998, O-Line

Stay Fat

Chris McQuillan '98 - I live down in Marlton, NJ, just outside of Philadelphia. The kids are getting big now. Hayden will be 10 in August and Hannah just turned 9 in March. I am just wrapping up a divorce and while it's never a fun experience, it is so much better for the kids and us. I am running an architectural lighting company (Mark Lighting) up in Edison, NJ and have been there for about a year and a half.

Matt Rogers '98 - I am still at West Point teaching in the Math Department and also working with the football team as an assistant OR. I extended for a third year here because my wife is pregnant and due the end of July. It is our first child and it is a girl (I am already looking at little Army cheerleader outfits)! So this summer I will be down in Virginia doing the core ILE course at Ft. Belvoir. I will finish ILE by correspondence next year and then get back out to a unit in the summer of 2011. Life here at West Point is still great and we are all really looking forward to what we think is going to be a promising year on the football field.

Scott Sprawls '98 - Things are well with Sprawls family. I just accepted a promotion with Pfizer and I am in the process of moving the family up to Connecticut from Arizona. I am not terribly excited about moving to Connecticut, but it was a good career opportunity and at least I will be able to attend most of the Army games in the fall. Look forward to seeing many of you at the Golf Tournament in July.

Neil Ravitz '99 - My wife Stefanie and I are living in the Philadelphia area. We have two children and one on the way. I am working for Deloitte Consulting doing Defense Contracting for the Defense Logistics Agency. I have hooked up with another former Army Football Captain, James Brock '87, and he has taken me under his wing. Chris McQuillan ('98) and I pulled together a tailgate for Army Navy this past year and we had about 30 former players get together for beer. I am really looking forward to the Golf Tournament this year. Hope to see you soon.



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Frank Toney '99 - I have an update to my address. I'm now in Denver, CO at:

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Bill Thiele '99 – Coach, hope all is well. Here's my entry for the Playbook.

Been out in beautiful San Diego for 5 years now - How time flew by!

Still working for a medical device company and fortunate enough to see former ball players such as Mike Guzman, Ed Dresch, Nate Hunteerton, Tommy Mullins, Jim Nati, Jaime Wolocko, etc at annual sales meetings. Soon we will take over the company!

My best to those overseas.

Bill Thiele '99



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The 00's

Tom Goettke '00 - Great to hear from you again, as always. I will finish up here at Georgetown in May with the JCS/OSD program and start on the Joint Staff in June. I look forward to seeing everyone at the games this year. If anyone needs anything in the DC area, my cell is 931-561-9384.

Tom Goettke ('00)

John Thurman '00 - Currently, I am living in Kirksville, Missouri. My 2nd year of medical school here at the Kirksville College of Osteopathic Medicine (KCOM) ends in a few weeks and I will be starting my clerkship years (3rd/4th year rotations) in Wichita, Kansas starting in July. It has been an exciting and interesting year. Audrey, my wife, has landed a job with a regional accounting firm to start in August. Currently, she is in the process of sitting for all four parts of the CPA exam.

We have been fortunate this past year to contribute to our community here. I was elected president of my med school class. I was selected as the 2010 ATSU-KCOM Student D.O. of the Year and was a finalist for the National Student D.O. of the Year. I was the recipient of the "Above and Beyond" award for humanitarian service. A major tornado struck our town last year and destroyed several homes of classmates. I was able to lead portions of the recovery efforts and a person who lost his home nominated me for the award. Recently, I was nominated for the ATSU Still Spirit Award. This award recognizes people in the community that personify compassion, humanism, and the integrity of the founder of our university, A.T. Still.

I've worked as hard as I can to represent Army Football and the USMA well. Hopefully we have left a favorable impression on the community and profession of osteopathic medicine.

Walt Rittger '00 - After graduating in 2000, I spent several years at Ft. Sill, Oklahoma and deployed to Iraq. I also served a three-year tour and commanded in Korea. After Korea, I returned to Oklahoma and got my Masters Degree in Chemistry from the University of Oklahoma. I am now teaching Chemistry at USMA and am enjoying the opportunity to be back here catching some great Army Football!

My wife, Elke, and I have been married for 6 years and have two daughters.

Sincere Thanks,

MAJ Walt Rittger #46

Army Football 2000

Graham White '00 - My wife Jesenia and I have been stationed at Ft. Lewis, WA since November 2007. I am currently commanding Charlie Company, 2d Ranger Battalion and Jesenia is a nurse in the emergency room at Saint Clare's Hospital. Since graduating in 2000, I have deployed 8 times to Afghanistan and Iraq...all but one deployment with Ranger units. Being gone so much has made it difficult to start having babies, but we will soon enough. For now our dog Bronco is plenty for us both to handle. Jesenia and I will be going to my 10-year reunion at the end of September - so hope to see some old buddies, teammates, and coaches then. RLW!

Respectfully,

MAJ Graham R. White

Army Football Class of 2000

Punter, #13



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Johnny Karpuck '01 - I'm looking forward to having my information included in the playbook.
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Harry Kirias '01 - I enjoyed reading the Playbook these past two years. So I hope it keeps going.

It has been 9 years, 4 months and 10 days since I last wore the Black and Gold. Since then I have moved to Maui, Hawaii, and started a family, 1 little girl and a boy on the way. I believe myself and Vaughn Carpenter (2000) are the only two Army Football Alumni on the Island. So if anyone is ever visiting, please look me up.
Aloha
Harry Kirias 2001

Michael Hastings '03 - I am currently located in the Chicagoland/Milwaukee Area working for a former "FMC" chief Mike Wells '96 at Ethicon – BioSurgery. Also serving on the Board of Directors with the West Point Society of Chicago.
Very Respectfully,
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Chris Pestel '03 -Greetings AFC Brethren,

I wanted to take a quick moment to update the Army Football Club on my status as a photographer/ visual storyteller. I am currently pursuing schooling for a career as a visual storyteller/photographer. I have also had my ear to the ground for photo-related internships, spent some time out in Denver with Sports Illustrated Photographer Peter Read Miller (100+ covers/ 8 Olympics) and been working on a few personal projects.

I have recently released my first self-published work:

www.blurb.com/bookstore/detail/1261856.

I chronicled the State Championship run by the 2009 Montini Broncos of Lombard, IL. If you are so inclined, please take a moment to preview and leave a comment.

Furthermore, my little girl, Kamryn, turns 6 in May and is about to finish up kindergarten. We are both back home here in the Chicagoland area.

I look forward to another AFC Golf Outing this summer!

All the Best!

Chris

Brian Hill '04 - My wife Morgan and I are living in Houston (been here a year now). Working for FMC Technologies doing project management, and heckling Tim Booth as much as I can. Looking forward to the golf tourney again this year, and hopefully we can make a game or two. Hope everyone else is doing well, can't wait to catch up.



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Aaron Alexander '05 - Who I am:

Aaron Alexander, '05

WR, #19, Team Captain

What am I up to:

I currently work for Procter & Gamble.

I lead all sourcing activities for blow molded packaging for NA's Beauty Care products.

I have been located in Cincinnati, OH for the last 2.5 yrs.

Joel Glover '05 - Just moved down to Houston to start law school in the fall, but before that, I'll be cycling with two '05 classmates from Portland, Maine to Corona, California to raise money and awareness for the Wounded Warrior Project. Here is our website if anyone has any questions: www.pedalinwithapurpose.com.

Doug Horaist '05 - Currently, I am living in my hometown of Lafayette, LA where I am working for a pediatric dentist. In July, I will be moving to New Orleans to begin dental school at the LSU School of Dentistry. I am looking forward to the upcoming season and wish the Army team nothing but success. Go Army!

Doug Horaist

Class of 2005

Will Sullivan '05 - Just finished my Company Command time as a Scout Basic Training troop Commander at Fort Knox, Ky. I'll be hitting the job market this summer as I'm leaving active duty. I don't know where I'll end up, so no address at this time. I'm looking forward to actually going to some Army Football games this season.

Robert Davis '06 - I graduated in 2006, played FS, and lettered four years on the football team. This is the first I have heard of the "The Playbook" and would be interested in receiving it and also submitting info. I am in Afghanistan right now, but should be able to get you something in the near future. What kind of info are guys usually sending in?

Excited about the season coming up - I have heard great reports from spring ball. I had the opportunity to coach the secondary down at the Prep School after graduating in '06 and those guys will be Seniors this year. They are a great bunch of guys and I think they will have the team ready for the season.

v/r,

CPT Rob Davis

1/10 MTN Medical Operations

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Scott Wesley '06 - I played as a running back, kick off returner, and punt returner. I am currently serving in the Big Red one 1st BDE, 1st Infantry Division at Fort Riley, Kansas. I served as an Athletic Intern (Grad Assistant) for a year after graduation, and branched Air Defense Artillery. I will be deploying to Iraq in November as an Air Defense Air-space Manager.

Respectfully,

CPT Scott Wesley

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Kevin Dunn '08 - I just recently went through my email on AKO, and saw that you were collecting information, stories, and updates for this year's installment of The Playbook. I honestly don't know much about the publication, but if it enables past and current players to have insight into what is happening in my life, I would be more than happy to contribute. After graduating in 2008, I went to my Officer Basic Courses in Fort Sill, Oklahoma and Fort Bliss, Texas. Following this training, I went to Airborne and Ranger school at Fort Benning, Georgia. I then reported to Bravo Battery, 5-5 Air Defense Artillery Battalion in Fort Lewis, Washington. In September, I competed in and won the 32 AAMDC Officer of the year competition in Fort Bliss, Texas. Upon return to Fort Lewis, I was assigned as the C4I Platoon Leader. The unit then deployed to Operation Iraqi Freedom in January. I am currently stationed at JBB (Joint Base Balad), working with the C-RAM sense, warn, and intercept system. I will be deployed here for a full year and will return to Fort Lewis sometime next January. I hope this was what you were looking for in terms of updates. If there is anything else you need, please let me know. Thanks for your time.

V/R,

Kevin Dunn

David Black '09 - I'm currently with the 3/2SCR serving as Iron Company's FSO in Germany. Deploying to Afghanistan this summer. Sorry about the untimely response, It's been pretty hectic... Not sure if this is what you needed or not b/c I've never done this before.

Respectfully,

2LT David Black

Class of 2009



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HISTORY OF THE ARMY FOOTBALL CLUB

Mr. Jack Hecker and Mr. Bob Kinney got together in 1996 and decided that they wanted to give something back to West Point, Army Football, and the players who wore the Black and Gold. They decided to create a publication that would keep former letter winners abreast of Army Football and the upcoming season. They called it the "PLAYBOOK" and printed the first issue at their own expense. To further enhance the deep camaraderie that is felt by Army Football players, they planned a golf outing to allow former letter winners to renew their deep bonds with each other and to meet the current staff. To their surprise, the response was overwhelming. From these humble beginnings came the notion of The Army Football Club. When Rick Greenspan came on board as Director of Athletics, these Soldiers of the gridiron became a legitimate organization. With the enthusiastic support of Mr. Rollie Stichweh '65, the Army Football Club was formed in the spring of 2000.

Given West Point's rich history of winning Army Football, the most appropriate question would be what took us so long to get one started. The majority of major colleges have football clubs and they are an integral part of their respective athletic departments. West point and Army Football are unique. We don't play for the dream of a professional career; rather we play for the love of the game, our classmates and the honor of representing West Point. Our bonds of loyalty go beyond the days of the gridiron and become part of who we are. To play for Army is an honor that few can appreciate. To support our players today and to become part of the Army team is both a privilege and an opportunity that few of us will ignore.

ARMY FOOTBALL CLUB MISSION

The purpose of the club is to organize and maintain an active social and support organization of former players, managers, coaches and honorary members. The club will promote, support and enhance the football program at West Point, the relationships among current and former players, coaches, administrators, and the public.

The organization is to be self-sustaining. To do that, we need the support of each former Army Football player; we need you to join the Club. For now, we ask you to keep your eyes open for high school students who are great athletes and possess the potential to become outstanding cadets and future Army officers.

Per NCAA rules, you are not allowed to make contact with these prospects, but you can provide a great service to the Army Football program by informing the Football Recruiting Coordinator, Coach Dan Baranik, (Work phone: 845-938-2128 or e-mail to Daniel.Baranik@usma.edu) about these prospects.

Coach Baranik's mailing address is USMA Athletic Department, Attn: Football - Coach Dan Baranik, 639 Howard Road, West Point, NY 10996.



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AFC Membership Counts

For a complete list of all members, please go to the AFC Website. The member list is posted on the homepage. <http://www.armyfootballclub.org>

USMA Class	Number of Members
1939	1
Total 30's	1

1942	1
1944	2
1945	1
1946	5
1947	3
1948	1
1948	7
Total 40's	20

1950	10
1951	1
1952	5
1953	6
1954	9
1955	10
1956	9
1957	18
1958	9
1959	14
Total 50's	91

USMA Class	Number of Members
1960	8
1961	17
1962	13
1963	13
1964	23
1965	19
1966	19
1967	13
1968	20
1969	31
Total 60's	176

1970	14
1971	21
1972	11
1973	25
1974	16
1975	8
1976	9
1977	4
1978	11
1979	7
Total 70's	126

1980	11
1981	11
1982	14
1983	15
1984	20
1985	17
1986	21
1987	15
1988	13
1989	17
Total 80's	154

USMA Class	Number of Members
1990	13
1991	16
1992	15
1993	11
1994	14
1995	20
1996	11
1997	13
1998	10
1999	11
Total 90's	134

2000	9
2001	3
2002	6
2003	8
2004	7
2005	9
2006	11
2007	1
2008	4
2009	1
Total 00's	59

2010	27
Total 2010's	27